

## MISCELLANEOUS.

[FOR THE CHARLOTTE JOURNAL.]

### STANZAS.

Oh Life! thou art a changeful dream  
Of dark'ning shades, and brilliant light,  
A voyage on a stormy stream  
Mid low'ring clouds, and pitchy night.

Thy morn is clear, and mildly bright,  
Promising a fair and happy day;  
But soon there comes a gloomy night,  
That brings on Hope a dark decay!

Few are the days on earth I've seen,  
Since here, in sorrow, I have stayed;  
Sadder than few those days have been,  
And thus they'll be till I am dead!

Then why should I wish to delay,  
Shrinking from the deepening gloom,  
Dreading still to plunge away,  
And rest forever in the tomb!

Calmly, oh Death! I wait for thee,  
On thy cold breast to lay my head;  
From ev'ry care and sorrow free—  
To rest me with the silent dead!

### THE ORPHAN.

#### PROSPECTS AHEAD!

Ladies! This is leap year—you can choose husbands for yourselves, and no true man dare refuse you. But be it leap year or not—one word of advice in your ears—"look before you leap," for all are not as lucky as the wise man of Gotham, whose exploit we remember to have heard thus recorded in our nursery tales:

There was a man in our town,  
And he was wondrous wise,  
He leaped into a briar bush,  
And scratched out both his eyes;  
Now when he saw his eyes were out,  
With all his might and main,  
He leaped from out the briar bush,  
And scratched them in again.

Now, my dear creatures, take the above parable to your hearts—marriage is a briar bush—you may leap in—and if you do, you may scratch out both your eyes, (or your husband's, as the case may happen) but you may try with all your might and main, there's no leaping out again; as Pope, or some other of the British Classics, elegantly observes, "there's no plaster for that broken shin," so take care of the Calends of February, or else, "beware the ides of March."

**The Lawyer and the Quaker.**—A Quaker was called into court to give in his testimony in a case at law. On being requested to hold up his hand to be sworn, he replied that his Bible taught him to "swear not at all." "Well," said the limb of the law, "do you expect to arrive at heaven any sooner, by being so scrupulously exact?" "I cannot tell thee," said the Quaker, "but if I should not, I wish to do what seemeth to be right." "But did you ever hear of a Quaker going to heaven?" inquired the lawyer, quizzingly. "Yes," "Well, how in the world did he get there? Did he have no difficulty?" said the lawyer, heaping question upon question. "Why, yes," said the Quaker, "if thee wishes to know, I will tell thee. He arrived at the gate, and there was some dispute about admitting him, but they looked all round for a lawyer, and could find none to decide the case, and he was forthwith admitted.—*Dedham Ad.*

**A Dr. Caldwell, of Va.** has invented a method for drawing teeth which renders the operation a very pleasant recreation, according to the papers—all who have had their grinders ground out by Dr. C. have been highly gratified with his *modus operandi*. The Paris Academy of Dental Surgeons have sent the Dr. a medal, and a New York Surgeon has had a sound tooth extracted by Dr. C. merely to test his skill, which he declares he will never again open his jaws against.

**Dwarf Horse.**—Captain Ashley, of the 4th Regt. Motion, who arrived here three days since from Buenos Ayres, has brought home with him a remarkable curiosity, in the shape of a dwarf horse. It is of the Indian, or Pampas breed, dark brown, four years old, and only thirty-six inches in height! It is probably the smallest animal of its species in the world, and would make a valuable acquisition to the menagerie. There is also on board the same vessel a very fine Ostreich, for which the owner will no doubt find a good market.—*N. Y. Gaz.*

**Stopping the interest.**—It is said that one of our first people could not refrain last Friday from telling how much the wine cost them upon his table. Says he, I had it in twenty years ago, counting interest (at two percent a month) it is now worth five dollars a bottle. Come, then, said a guest, let's drink it up and stop the interest.—*Boston Statesman.*

**Religion.**—How charming is religion when it is the offspring of Gratitude, not of Fear, and when it is characterized by cheerfulness and benevolence.

Religion is the one thing needful, as it leads to the true felicity, yields the best supports under trouble; comforts in the midst of affliction; and brightens the prospect of death.

The more honest a man is, the less he affects the air of a saint; the affection of sanctity is a blotch on the face of piety.

### Tailoring Business.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs his former customers, and all others, that he will still continue to carry on, as formerly, the above business, at the former residence of Mrs. Margaret Barry's, where he will be prepared to execute all orders in his line with neatness and despatch.

He returns his grateful thanks to those who formerly encouraged him, and hopes still to merit their patronage.  
Feb. 23, 1836. JNO. E. HENDERSON.

## To Gold Miners, Owners of Mills, &c.

### STONE CUTTING.

THE Subscriber would inform owners of Mills, Goldminers, and all others concerned in this business, that he still continues to carry on his business in all its various branches; and will furnish

#### MILL STONES.

##### Gold Rock for Grinding.

or any other kind of dressed Rock that may be wanted, in the best manner, upon the shortest notice, and upon the most reasonable terms. The quality of his Rock is very superior, and the manner in which his work is executed, together with his attention to the convenience of his customers, will be a sufficient recommendation for those interested in their patronage. Goldminers are particularly informed that the subscriber has a large number of BEDS, of different kinds, and a few RUNNERS, manufactured of the best grit, and after the most approved models.

Orders for articles in the above line by letter, if addressed to the subscriber at Salisbury, N. Caro., will meet with as prompt attention as if the person ordering were present. The subscriber can always be found at his residence, 7 miles South of Salisbury.  
ENOCH E. PHILLIPS.  
Rowan county, Feb. 27, 1836.

#### ATTENTION!

##### Town Company.



YOU are hereby commanded to appear at the Court-house in Charlotte, on Saturday the 12th inst., armed and equipped according to law, for the purpose of drill.

By order of  
WM. CASSELES, Captain.

March 4, 1836.

N. B. A punctual attendance of the company is requested, as business of importance is expected to come before them.

## Prime Bacon

FOR SALE BY  
SMITH, WILLIAMS & BOYD.  
Feb. 24, 1836.

50,000 POUNDS of Pickled Pork, for sale by Cross & Co., at the Store of John M. Morrison & Co.  
Feb. 13, 1836.

### REMOVAL.

THOMAS J. BARROW & CO.  
HAVE REMOVED TO

No. 306 Pearl St., New York.

THE late calamitous Fire having destroyed our whole Stock of

China, Glass, & Earthenware,

We have taken the above spacious Warehouse, and offer for sale a most splendid assortment in the line, selected by one of the firm in England, for that purpose, comprising many new styles of Goods, got up expressly for our trade. The attention of purchasers is respectfully solicited.  
THOMAS J. BARROW & CO.  
306 Pearl Street.  
New York, Jan. 26, 1836.

### The well bred Young Horse WHIP.

THE Subscriber informs the citizens of Mecklenburg County, that he has purchased of Wm. S. Norment, the beautiful young horse Whip, and has made arrangements to stand him at the following places, viz: Mondays at Gilbreth McKnight, Esq., 12 miles north of Charlotte; Tuesdays at my own stable; Wednesdays and Thursdays in Charlotte; and Friday and Saturdays at Dr. Smith's, in the edge of Providence Settlement; and will be let out on the most liberal terms. (See handbills.) In recommending this horse, I would only refer to men who have reared colts from him, and in viewing his colts, which is certainly the best certificate he could offer, I would be willing to risk his reputation as a foalgetter; and from the very fine ancestry of which he has sprung, I hope the enterprising citizens of Mecklenburg will avail themselves of the present opportunity offered. Judges, view him and pass sentence.  
M. W. ALEXANDER, Jr.  
Feb. 24, 1835.

#### NOTICE.

THE Celebrated Jack, SIR HENRY, will stand the ensuing Season at the following places, viz: At Charity Hill, the Subscriber's stable, 13 miles South of Charlotte, and at Lewis Dinkins's, 6 miles South of Charlotte, and will be let to Mares at the reduced price of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents the single leap, due at the time of service; Five Dollars the Season, due the first October next; and Eight Dollars to ensure a Mare to be with foal, the insurance money to be due as soon as the Mare is discovered to be with foal—trading the Mare forfeits the insurance in every instance. Any person putting three mares at their own, there will be a deduction made of one dollar on each mare. The Season will commence on the 25th of March, and end the 1st of July. All possible care will be taken to prevent accidents, but no liability for any that may occur.

JOHN W. POTTS,  
February 17th, 1836.



### Agricultural Notice.

THE following Premiums will be awarded at the Annual Meeting of the Mecklenburg Agricultural Society, on the last Saturday in October next.

A premium of \$10 for the greatest quantity of Corn raised on an acre of Land.

A premium of \$7 50 cts., for the greatest quantity of Corn raised on one acre of old reclaimed Land.

A premium of \$10 for the greatest quantity of Wheat raised on one acre of Land.

A premium of \$10 for the greatest quantity of Wheat raised on one acre of old reclaimed Land.

A premium of \$10 for the greatest quantity of Cotton raised on one acre of any Land.

A premium of \$10 for the greatest quantity of Oats raised on one acre of any Land.

A premium of \$10 for the best Clover lot, seed sowed this Spring, on one acre of Land.

A correct account of the manner of Manuring, kind of Manure, quality of soil and cultivation, will be required from all those who compete for the above premiums, with an account of the quantity of grain raised, certified by some uninterested farmer.

A premium of \$5 for the best Bear Pig, under one year old; and also the same premium for the best Sow Pig under one year old.

A premium of \$5 for the best piece of Jeans Cloth, not less than 7 yards.

A premium of \$10 for the best piece of Carpeting, not less than 20 yards.

The above premiums will be awarded to the Members of the Mecklenburg Agricultural Society only.

J. SMITH, Rec'g. Sec'y.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

### THE NEXT SESSION

OF the Female Institute, in this place, will commence on Tuesday the first of March ensuing. Our system of Education contemplates the Intellectual, Physical, and Moral welfare of our pupils; and our course of Instruction and mode of Discipline are arranged with primary regard to these objects. Young Ladies from abroad are required to board at the Institution, where they receive the care and unremitting vigilance of the Teachers.

In addition to the fundamental and scientific branches which are taught here by the aid of Globes, Maps, and extensive Philosophical, Chemical, and other Apparatus, instruction is also given in the Latin, Greek, French, and Italian languages; in Music, Drawing, Painting, Needlework, &c.

Board and Tuition per Session of five months, \$65. For other particulars we refer to our Prospectus, of which any person may obtain a copy by forwarding his address.  
A. J. LEAVENWORTH,  
E. M. LEAVENWORTH,  
Charlotte, N. C., Feb. 13, 1836.

N. B. A Department for Boys under 10 years of age, has also been opened.

### NEW GOODS.

THE Subscriber has lately returned from the North, where he has selected, with care and taste, some **Fine & Fashionable Articles**, which he offers to the public at reduced prices. The leading ones are: Gold and Silver Patent Lever, Lepine, and Plain English and Swiss WATCHES, Gold Guard CHAINS, also, Feb do. Ladies Fine Gold NECKLACE, Gold, Silver, and Steel Spectacle Frames, with glasses, (white, green, blue, and azure,) to suit all ages and sights, GOLD KEYS, for Gentlemen and Ladies. IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE, HE HAS JUST RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES

FROM THE NORTH, VIZ:

Britannia ware in full sets, Fine Plated Candlesticks, Snuffers and Trays, Plated Castors, Rogers' Pen and Pocket Knives, Razors and Scissors, best Cloth Brushes, Hair do., Table and Tooth do., a variety of PERFUMERY of the best quality, Walking Sticks and Riding Switches, Fine Pistols, (English and French,) Snuff Boxes, Percussion Caps, Pocket Books, Emerson's Fine Razor Straps, Boxes and Brushes, &c.

The above articles, added to his former stock of Watches and Jewelry, will embrace a variety, which will be sold low for Cash, or on short credit to punctual dealers.

THOMAS TROTTER.  
Charlotte, November, 1835.

N. B. Those who have long Standing Accounts will remember that most men need money to carry on business.

## Omnibus Concern GOING AHEAD!

THE Travelling Public, and all others who may desire Private Conveyance from Charlotte to any other place, are informed that the undersigned have added to their Omnibus establishment a splendid BAROUCHE and SULKEY, and ADDITIONAL HORSES, either for **HARNESS** or the **SADDLE**—so that all who may desire accommodation in their line may be assured of receiving prompt attention for the time to come.  
B. P. BOYD & Co.  
Dec. 23, 1835.

Military EXECUTIONS for Sale at this OFFICE.



### DYSPEPSIA

#### LIVER COMPLAINTS.

THE PATENT VEGETABLE MEDICINE, STOMACHIC ET HEPATIQUE, formed by chymical analysis and synthesis of several proximate vegetable principles, are universally acknowledged to have totally eclipsed the pretensions of every other remedy, and superceded the necessity of every other mode of treatment wherever the above diseases are found to exist, as well as in enlargement of the Spleen and in Jaundice. Among the symptoms of Dyspepsia and Liver complaints, are flatulency, sourness or burning in the stomach, melancholy, irritability, disagreeable taste in the mouth; great irregularity of appetite, which is sometimes voracious, and at other times greatly deficient; thirst, fetid breath, nausea, weakness of the stomach, acid eructations, palpitation, drowsiness, irregularity of the bowels, pressure on the stomach after meals, pain in the head, dizziness or vertigo, confusion of mind, attended with loss of memory, a gnawing in the stomach when empty, chilliness, affection of sight and hearing, pain and weakness in the back, languor, disturbed sleep, cold feet and hands, tremor, uneasiness in the throat, cough, pain in the side or breast, &c.

### DR. PETERS'

**Vegetable Anti-Bilious Pills.** Are the cheapest and most approved Family Medicine ever offered to the Public. They are extremely mild in their operation, neither causing sickness of the stomach, nor any unpleasant sensation in the system, as is too frequently the result from medicines given to act upon the bowels. They act specifically upon the Liver, when in a torpid condition, carrying off a large quantity of bile, through the influence of the excremental function, which, if suffered to remain in the system, would produce either Jaundice, Liver Complaint, Bilious Fever, Fever and Ague, or some other grievous bodily affliction. In all cases of torpor of the bowels, they act like a charm. In recent cases of Dyspepsia, they are a certain cure. Many persons who were subject to violent attacks of sick head-ache, have been much benefited, and several perfectly cured in a few weeks by their use. They are highly recommended as a preventative and cure of Bilious complaints. Persons who are subject to that distressing complaint, sea-sickness, by taking a portion or two of them a few days previous to embarking on board the vessel, will be almost certain to escape it. Females can use them at all periods, without incurring any risk. Their virtues will remain unimpaired for years in any climate. No family should be without these Pills; a portion of them, taken occasionally, would be the means of preventing much suffering from sickness. It is from neglect of keeping up a regular peristaltic action of the stomach and bowels, thus suffering to be absorbed and mingled with the blood, unassimilated fluids, that most diseases are produced. Dr. P. feels confident that no person who gives these Pills a fair trial, will ever after feel willing to be without them. The testimony of thousands speaking in the highest terms of their efficacy, might be added, but the very high reputation Dr. P. has acquired as the inventor of the "Patent Vegetable Medicine Stomachic et Hepatic," for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver complaints, is thought a sufficient guarantee to those wishing to make a trial of their virtues. They contain not a particle of Mercury, or any ingredient that does not act in harmony with health and oppose disease.

Dr. P. having been educated under the most eminent American and European Medical professors, and practiced his profession many years in the South, where diseases of the most obstinate character prevail, considers himself well qualified to judge on the nature of diseases incident to warm climates.

Prepared by JOSEPH PRIESTLY PETERS, M. D. P. B. C. P. M. at his Institution for the cure of obstinate Diseases, by means of vegetable remedies, No. 129 Liberty-street, New York, inventor and sole proprietor. Each box contains forty Pills. Price 50 CENTS.

These invaluable Medicines are sold in Charlotte by Smith & Williams; in Concord by P. B. Barringer, and in Salisbury by John Murphey, where numerous certificates of their efficacy can be seen.

JOS. PRIESTLY PETERS.  
Jan. 1, 1836.



### Taken Up

AND committed to the Jail of Mecklenburg county, on the 12th instant, a negro boy named ARCHER, about five feet six inches high, dark complexioned, with a large scar on his forehead, and says he belongs to Richard Prior, a speculator, of Charlotte, Va. Clothes very ragged. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.  
J. McCONAUGHEY, Jailor.  
Oct. 12, 1835.

## WARRANTEE DEEDS

FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

### NOTICE.

BY Virtue of a decree of the Court of Equity, I will expose to Public Sale, at the Courthouse in Charlotte, on Saturday the 2d April next, a **Likely Negro Woman** and her Children, the property of the late Samuel Henderson. Terms made known at the time of sale.  
F. L. SMITH, Trustee.

March 3, 1836.

### GOLD NINE for Sale.

ON Monday the 21st of March, will be sold at public sale, at the Courthouse in Charlotte, the Plantation lying on the Potter Road, known as the Patterson Mine. A credit of one and two years will be given, by giving bond and security.  
WM. ROSS,  
LEWIS DINKINS, Executors.

March 5, 1836.

### NOTICE.

ON Tuesday the 15th of March next, I will expose to public sale, at the late residence of Thomas H. Alexander, dec'd., all the personal property belonging to said dec'd., consisting of all his

Stock of Horses, Cattle and Hogs,  
Corn and Fodder,  
One Road Waggon,  
Household and Kitchen Furniture,

and a variety of other articles too tedious to mention. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. Terms made known on the day of sale, when due attendance will be given.  
J. SAMPLE DAVIS, Executor.

Feb. 20, 1836.

N. B. All those indebted to the estate, are requested to come forward and make payment; those having claims or demands must present them authenticated within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.  
J. S. DAVIS.

### ATTENTION!

#### Lafayette Troop of Cavalry.

YOU are hereby commanded to appear in Charlotte, on the 20th instant, armed and equipped according to law, for the purpose of drill, with 12 rounds of blank cartridges. All the members are requested to be punctual in their attendance; and those young men who are disposed to assist in keeping up an efficient corps of Cavalry, are also requested to meet with us on that day.  
J. N. LEES, Captain.

March 2, 1836.



### A Splendid Line of Hacks, FROM Salisbury to Raleigh, N. C.

THE SUBSCRIBERS, anxious to afford every facility to the Travelling Public, now announce that they have completed their arrangements, and can with truth say, We present you with a Line of Hacks possessing advantages over any other, if you wish to get on with ease and dispatch—having obtained that great desideratum with Travellers—no detention on the road. It is so arranged as to correspond, in its intervals at Raleigh, with the departure of the following stages, viz: The Great Boat Line to Blakely, North Carolina, passing through Lenoir, Warren, and Halifax; at the latter place a Line of Stages communicates with the Portsmouth Railroad for Norfolk; by continuing on to Blakely, you strike the Petersburg Railroad; and on your arrival at that place you have the choice of two Lines—either to land to Washington City, via Richmond and Fredericksburg, or to Steam Boat to Norfolk. At Norfolk there will be no detention, as there is a line of Steam Boats for Baltimore in connexion with the line. This line also connects with one from Raleigh to Newbern.

Leaves the Mansion Hotel, Salisbury, TUESDAY and SATURDAY at 9 o'clock, A. M.—after the arrival of the Piedmont Stage from the South—arrives in Raleigh next days at 9 o'clock, P. M.—Leaves Raleigh TUESDAY and SATURDAY at 2 o'clock, A. M., arrives in Salisbury next days by 4 o'clock, P. M.—allowing sufficient time on the road for SLEEP.

The Hacks are Albany make, entirely new, and cannot be surpassed for comfort and ease; the Teams are excellent, the Drivers careful and attentive, and the Fare low—only SEVEN DOLLARS. All intermediate distances 7 cents per mile.

Passengers from the South, who wish to take our Line, will be careful to enter in Salisbury only.

All Bundles and Packages at the risk of the owners.

WILLIS MORING,  
JOSEPH L. MORING,  
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April 11, 1835.

The Fare from Raleigh to Washington City amounts to \$19 50, as follows: From Raleigh to Blakely, Stage Fare, \$1 50; Blakely to Petersburg, Rail Road Fare, \$3; Petersburg to Richmond, Stage Fare, \$1; Richmond to Fredericksburg, Stage Fare, \$1; Fredericksburg to Washington City, Steam-Boat Fare, \$4.

The Steam-Boat Fare from Petersburg to Baltimore, via Norfolk, is Four Dollars.

### JOB PRINTING

Neatly executed at this Office. Orders will be thankfully received and punctually attended to.

Sheriff Deeds for Sale.